

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 117

By Southerland

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Porshia Rice Cutshall on the occasion of her 100th birthday.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly pay tribute to those citizens who are celebrating special occasions in their estimable lives; and

WHEREAS, Porshia Rice Cutshall of Greeneville celebrated her 100th birthday on February 14, 2017, a milestone that was commemorated as yet another precious souvenir of life's rich pageant; and

WHEREAS, born in Madison County, North Carolina, Porshia Cutshall retired from the former Sam Moore Chair Factory in Greeneville; and

WHEREAS, she exhibits her devout religious faith as a member of Bewley's Chapel United Methodist Church; and

WHEREAS, the widow of Manley Cutshall, Mrs. Cutshall is the proud mother of Barbara Holt, Marcella Pursley, and Pauline Cutshaw; and

WHEREAS, Porshia Cutshall is the treasured grandmother of Rhonda Collins, Chris Pursley, Ryan Holt, and Alan Pursley; the beloved great-grandmother of Simon Holt, Susanna Holt, Duayne Pursley, Drew Pursley, Taylor Pursley, Tanner Pursley, Madison Collins, Ginnie Collins, and Alex Davis; and the doting great-great-grandmother of one great-great-grandchild; and

WHEREAS, as Porshia Rice Cutshall approaches her eleventh decade, she is still an active and productive member of society, participating in various civic and community events; and

WHEREAS, we wish to grasp this golden opportunity to specially recognize one of Tennessee's most outstanding citizens on this very special occasion; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate Porshia Rice Cutshall on the celebration of her 100th birthday and extend to her our best wishes for much continued success and happiness.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.